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## ENTERTAINMENT FOR M. E. CHURCH

### Over Sixty Dollars Raised for purchase of Church Organ. Good Program. Was Rendered.

The public was given a musical treat, in the M. E. Church, Friday evening, the program was well prepared and the numbers given were of the best, the church was crowded and the liberal applause by the audience was the testimonial of appreciation.

The selections by the standstill club were especially well rendered. A piano solo by Miss Moss was much enjoyed.

The vocal solos sung by Miss Harvey, Miss Snyder, Miss Nyswander, Mrs. McBroon, Mrs. Norin, Mrs. Dyer, Miss Roberts and Mr. Daly were each gems and executed in a delightful style. Mr. Roberts has a baritone voice of rare quality and which shows much musical training. Miss Sands was accompanist.

The singing by "the old folks" was quite the hit of the evening and each voice was expressed that they were so tired and wouldn't respond to an encore.

This entertainment was given without charge for admittance, but a request was to furnish all those present in the purchase of a new organ for the church.

Rev. Snyder stated the conditions and asked for subscriptions. \$50 was subscribed, which amount was later raised to \$60. The organ has been ordered from the Williams Organ Co., of Chicago, and it is expected to reach here in about four weeks; in time for the Children's Day exercises.

There is yet quite a sum needed to complete the purchase price. The subscription list is left with Mr. J. E. Bernhart, any one wishing to add to the sum may do so. The cause is most worthy, for a new organ is much needed, and when placed in the church, will add very much to the musical part of the services.

The following program was rendered:

- Song, American.....By All
- Solo.....Miss Nellie Harvey
- Piano Solo.....Miss Pearl Moss
- Solo.....Miss Nettie Snyder
- Musical.....By Mandolin Club
- Solo.....Miss Ida McBroon
- Solo.....Mrs. J. E. Norin
- Solo.....Miss Hattie Nyswander
- Musical.....By Mandolin Club
- Solo.....Mrs. Dyer
- Solo.....Mr. H. Roberts
- Solo.....Miss Edith Roberts

## CIRCUIT COURT IS IN SESSION.

### Morrow Land Case has taken up most of Time. Other Cases.

The case of the Warner Valley Stock Co. vs. Joseph L. Morrow consumed two days in trial. Very little evidence was produced, the case being one in which the law and the rights of the state were the principal features. Tuesday evening the case was turned over to the jury and the Judge instructed the Jury to sign a verdict in favor of the Warner Valley Stock Co.

The defendant will probably appeal the case to the supreme court.

Yesterday morning the case of the State vs. B. F. Lane came up for trial, and as we go to press the case is being tried with the following jury:

- J. Eccleston, C. A. Rehart, S. V. Rehart
- W. L. Pope, M. Wingfield, H. Bailey; W. J. McKee, J. M. Handley, Mrs. E. Musgrave, W. S. Edwards, Frank Beld, W. H. Tucker.

Brattain and Barefield and Cogswell are attorneys for defense and L. E. Conn is assisting District Attorney Moore.

### Latest News.

Jack Matthews was removed from the office of U. S. Marshal for Oregon on the 13th, because of District Attorney Henry's charge that Matthews was out of harmony with the administration in the prosecution of the land fraud cases. The same reasons for which John Hill was let out of the office of U. S. District Attorney.

The president has indicated his preference that Judge Wm. H. Hunt of Montana should sit in the land fraud trials in Portland, and decide that no successor to Judge Bellinger would be appointed for the time being. However, as U. S. Circuit Judge Wm. B. Gilbert, is expected to select a man to try the land cases, he will doubtless choose Judge De Haven of San Francisco.

Vice-president C. W. Fairbanks has been appointed by the president to act as his representative at the opening of the Lewis & Clark Fair.

Chas. J. Reed of Portland was appointed to the U. S. Marshalship for Oregon, to succeed W. P. Matthews.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of the secretary of State last week for the West Telephone & Telegraph Co.; principal office at Lakeview, Oregon; capital stock \$2000; incorporators, E. M. Miller, C. W. Dent and Harry Bailey.

### Will Transmit Light and Power.

Keller & Anthony returned from Cedarville, where they went to meet with the people of Surprise valley for the purpose of establishing a lighting and power system in the towns of that valley, power to be furnished by the Pine Creek light and power plant.

They succeeded in making a deal with the people of Bidwell and Cedarville for lighting those towns and to furnish power for the Cedarville flour mill. Work on the line will commence as soon as a right of way can be secured across the government reserve between Pine Creek and Bidwell.

### Harriman Sells Road to Gates.

The Star states that John W. Gates and the Dutch stockholders have secured the Harriman interests in the Kansas City Southern Railway Company.

## JUDGE CHARLES B. BELLINGER DEAD

### The Close of a Long and Honorable Career on the Bench. U. S. District Judge for 12 years.

The startling news reached here by wire last Saturday that Judge C. B. Bellinger was dead. He had been seriously ill for several days with grippe and during the last two days of his illness the end was hourly expected.

The death of Judge Bellinger is a serious blow to Oregon just at this time. Numerous land fraud cases were to come up at an early date in the federal court, and the demise of Judge Bellinger will give the cases a serious set-back.

Judge Bellinger was born in Marquette Ill., Nov. 21, 1839, and died May 12, 1905, being nearly 66 months past 65 years of age at the time of his death.

He crossed the plains with his parents in 1847, the journey took nearly six months for its accomplishment, and was, as other such journeys, full of danger.

He attended Willamette University for several years, but did not graduate; studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1863. Served in the Modoc war in 1873, being Lieutenant Colonel on the staff of General

Miller. He took part in the fight on the lava beds on June 17th, 1873, at which time the troops under Gen. Wheaton were ambushed and defeated by the Indians.

From 1874 to 1878 he was clerk and official reporter of the Supreme court, when he was appointed circuit Judge of the Fourth district.

He was appointed U. S. District Judge for Oregon by president Cleveland in 1893 and took office May 1, and retained the position 12 years and 12 days, to his death.

Judge Bellinger has a marked career as a newspaper man. He edited the Arena, at Salem, the democratic organ of the state at that time; later published the Salem Review, and still later the Albany Democrat, and in 1870 went to Portland to practice law, when he founded the Portland News, which later became the Evening Telegram.

Judge Bellinger compiled the edition of the Oregon laws, known as Bellinger and Catton annotated Laws.

He was prominent in societies, being a member of several orders.

### Railroad Predictions.

Ed. Reeson—The present year and that of 1906 seem destined to make quite a change in the conditions of this county. The government has an option to the sum of \$187,500 on the Carr real estate at Tule and Clear Lakes, and these properties will be part of the so-called Klamath reclamation scheme. The growth of the Klamath country is simply marvelous. A broad-gauge railroad will be in Klamath Falls this fall, and it is almost a certainty that the trade of Southern Oregon, which formerly came to Madeline, will go to Klamath. The approach of the broad-gauge into Fall River will cut off the western trade and when the Western Pacific runs just below Buffalo Meadows, as it will next year, it is almost a certainty that Surprise valley will go to the Western and desert Madeline.

What the future of the S. O. O. will be is hard to tell. The Reno papers say that Gould will broad-gauge it and send it on to the Columbia river. If he does, it will develop this country and southern Oregon. If he does not, the road will be practically dead.

Graders and track-layers are at work on the Western Pacific from Chico East, and from Salt Lake west, at the present time. The rails are heavy, being 30-pounders. Within a month over 10,000 will be grading and laying track. The road comes out of the sierras about Plumas Junction, then comes north to about Ilegan. Then it comes north and east to near the old station of Roop, south of Buffalo, thence east through Winnemucca and by the southern end of Great Salt Lake to Salt Lake City. One hundred carloads of rails are already at Salt Lake, and one firm the Colorado Fuel and Iron Co. owned by Gould, has a contract for immediate delivery

of 75,000 tons of rails, being sufficient for 500 miles of track. It is the intention to rush work at both ends. There seems no question that Gould has acquired the sierra valley branch of the N. C. O. and has an option on the main line.—Cedarville Record.

### A Social Event.

Mrs. Chas. Sherlock's handsome parlors were the scene of a delightful gathering Saturday afternoon, when her home was thrown open for the entertainment of a number of invited guests.

Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Batcher and Miss Ethel Newell assisted the hostess in receiving and entertaining the ladies during the afternoon.

Progressive Whist was the principal amusement, Mrs. Lane capturing the prize, a handsomely bound copy of Evangeline. Mrs. Whitworth received the consolation prize, a bottle of perfume, with an appropriate verse attached.

Delicious claret punch was served during the games, and at the close an excellent collation was served.

Those partaking of Mrs. Sherlock's delightful hospitality were:

Mesdames Harry Bailey, Lee Beall, F. P. Lane, J. S. Dewey, H. C. Whitworth, Wm. Harvey, Jonas Norin, W. H. Shirk, W. M. Harvey, J. N. Watson, Geo. Whorton, A. Nelson, E. M. Brattain, C. O. Metzker, and the Misses Jessie Sands, May Snider and Lulu Maxwell.

### Will Run Barber Shop.

J. Duffy and M. Duffy arrived in Lakeview last week, and after looking over the situation, concluded that Lakeview is a pretty good town in which to go into business. They rented the building belonging to Daly formerly occupied by the postoffice, and will run a barber shop as soon as their chairs and tools arrive. John Duffy is a first-class cornettist, and took Prof. Graham's place in the orchestra.

### Sunday's Ball Game.

Another game of ball was played at the Lakeview diamond Sunday between Lakeview and Pine Creek, which resulted in victory for the home team by a score of 6 to 0.

The game was to have been played at Pine Creek, but the State Line was confined to come here and pay for use of the gate receipts, the other end going toward the expense of the game.

A large crowd attended the game and, besides the receipts for a neat little game.

The boys went into the field all in full equipment confident of victory on their side. Pine Creek went to bat first. The inning was short, Pine Creek struck hard and fast in the second and third, but all the while and made another 9. Five innings were played without a tally for the state players, but they went to the bat each time with courage, and played well.

In the second inning Lakeview scored 1, in the third 0 and the fourth 1. In the fifth Lakeview made one and it looked as if that would be all, but as two men were on bases, a wild throw let in two more. Now the score stood 5 to 0.

In the sixth Pine Creek made two tallies and goose-egged the Lakeview boys, in the seventh Lakeview tallied 1 and led Pine Creek. In the eighth Pine Creek tallied two and led Lakeview again, making the score 6 to 4 in favor of the Lakeview team, and the ninth did not change the score.

"Tuffy" Storkman made three tallies for Lakeview, George Storkman 1, Orvis Stephenson 1 and Jim Partin 1.

Runs were made by the Pine Creekers as follows: Hammersley 1, J. Larkin 1, O. Smith 1, I. Smith 1.

A. H. Schroder of Silver Lake has purchased the gate.

Following is the score by innings: Pine Creek—1-0-0-0-2-0-0-4; Lakeview—0-0-0-1-2-0-1-0—4.

### Gored By an Angry Bull.

Last Saturday evening one J. E. Walker, who was engaged in logging near the town of Madeline, was goring his hand, one of the animals, that has a natural dislike for mankind, came very near putting one "bull puncher" out of business. As soon as he was passed from the yards he made the Walker. Of course, Walker ran, but the bull caught him, before he got to the fence, bowled him down and proceeded to trample him into the ground, one Fousty interfered about this time, and the infuriated animal made for him. One in a host of footmen reached a tree and climbed into it. While the bull was thus engaged with Mr. Fousty, Walker made his escape.

He was considerably bruised and was brought to town Monday. The Dr. thought a bone in one of his legs was fractured.

T. B. Metzker broke this animal to work about two years ago, and had a similar experience, he having Wm. Stimpff for an accomplice, who acted in the same capacity as Ote Follett. All four of these men who have dealt with the bull will join in an invitation to invite a Spanish bull fighter to a round at the Camas Mill.

### Klamath Canal Bought Out.

The last obstacle in the way of government irrigation in Klamath county has been removed. The government's recent purchase of the company's property for \$150,000 places the Klamath Basin Irrigation project in line for immediate action.